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P R 171400Z FEB 76
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 9635
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AMEMBASSY VIENNA
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C O N F I D E N T I A L PRAGUE 0411

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: BEXP, PFOR, CZ
SUBJECT: LEIPZIG FAIR: USITED STATES CATALOG ERROR

REF: USBERLIN 0263, VIENNA 1161

ON HER KEY PROSPECT CALLS IN PRAGUE ON FEBRUARY 9, 10, AND 11, DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS RELATIONS ROBINSON DISTRIBUTED APPROXIMETLY 50 COPIES OF THE LEIPZIG FLYER TO SEVERAL FOREIGN TRADE CORPORATIONS AND END-USERS. WE THINK IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO RECOVER THEM ALL, AND FURTHERMORE THINK WE WOULD RAISE SUSPICIONS BY TRYING. THE ENGINEERS AND FOREIGN TRADE OFFICIALS WHO WERE TARGETED TO RECEIVE THE FLYER WILL PROBABLY OVERLOOK BERLIN FRG ERROR. WE JUDGE IT UNLIKELY (BUT CANNOT GUARANTEE) THAT ANYONE WHO WOULD GRASP THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ERROR, SUCH AS OFFICIALS AT THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WILL EVER SEE THE FLYER UNLESS WE ATTEMPT TO RECOVER IT. IF DEPARTMENT DESIRES, WE WILL OF COURSE DO OUR BEST TO RETRIEVE ALL COPIES. GIVEN THE ABOVE
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CONSIDERATIONS, HOWEVER, WE RECOMMEND AGAINST IT.
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